





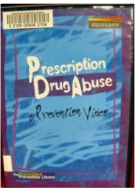



OVER-THE-COUNTER & PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

	ABUSING OVER-THE-COUNTER DRUGS	2004	AGES 11-25	19 MIN	This program explores the most common abuses of OTC drugs and shows the chemical, biological and psychological damage that can result from abusing these ordinary drugs. Particular attention is paid to DXM, the powerful medication linked to recent deaths of young people across the country. The dangers of this kind of abuse are brought home through the tragic story of Jennifer Darling, a high school student whose apparent experimentation with the drug was a cause in her own death. Students will also hear a no-nonsense message from a district attorney describing the severe legal consequences teens can receive if found driving or committing a crime while under the influence of these substances. The program also teaches viewers how to carefully read and understand OTC drug labels for active ingredients and potential overdose.
	ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT PRESCRIPTION AND OTC DRUGS IN 17 MINUTES	2011	GRADES 5-9	17 MIN	Teenagers often don't realize that the chemicals in Rx and over-the-counter drugs are just as potent and addictive as illicit drugs like cocaine and heroin. Program takes a close look at the do's and don'ts of prescription and OTC medicines, informing viewers of their potential risks including abuse, addiction, overdose and death. Even younger viewers will understand why medicine must only be used by the person for whom it was prescribed, and will be ready to heed the warning against the dangers of polypharmacy—mixing several medicines together in a way that causes a magnified and sometimes deadly reaction.
	BEHIND THE ORANGE CURTAIN	2012			Behind the Orange Curtain is a documentary that delves into the staggering problem of teenage drug abuse in one of the most affluent counties in the country. Young, privileged teenagers are dying of drug overdoses in record numbers in Orange County, California. This documentary film will set out to ask the question.....why?
	IN THE KNOW: PRESCRIPTION DRUGS	2003	GRADES 9-12; ADULT	15 MIN	This video takes an in-depth look at prescription drug abuse, including Amphetamines, Barbiturates, and Opioids like Vicodin and OxyContin. Conveys the message that a prescribed drug is only safe when taken by an ill person and only exactly as the doctor recommends. Includes firsthand accounts of physicians' experiences with overdose and addiction.

	"LEGAL" BUT DEADLY: ABUSING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS	2004	GRADES 7-COLLEGE	19 MIN	Covers the rising problems with the abuse of prescription drugs such as OxyContin, Ritalin, Vicodin, and codeine-based cough syrup. The program highlights personal stories and the resulting consequences of teens that become addicted to prescription drugs. Disproves the idea that because the drugs are prescribed they are safe. Physicians describe the severe side effects of misuse of prescription drugs.
	PHARM PARTIES: A LETHAL MIX	2009	GRADES 7-COLLEGE	24 MIN	One of the newest and most frightening trends in teen drug experimentation are so-called "pharm parties"—where teens gather at someone's home, drop an array of pharmaceuticals (like Vicodin, Oxycontin or Xanax) into a bowl, then consume handfuls of this dangerous "trail mix." This eye-opening program allows viewers to hear from teens who nearly died after participating in pharm parties, as well as medical experts who identify the dangers of taking any medicines not specifically prescribed for you. Narcotics officers with firsthand experience of pharm party overdoses give vivid descriptions of documented incidents. Viewers also learn what really happens when a human stomach is pumped as a last resort to avoid drug overdose. Program clearly demonstrates the extreme dangers of this rapidly escalating form of prescription drug abuse.
	PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE: A PREVENTION VIDEO	2004	GRADES 6-12	15 MIN	Teens tell the real story about prescription drug abuse in Hazelden's newest prevention video. Students will learn important information about the dangers of misusing prescription drugs (stimulants, opioids, depressants, and anti-depressants) as well as the dangers of abusing over-the-counter drugs (diet pills, cold medications, and steroids).
	PRESCRIPTION DRUGS UPDATE	2011	GRADES 7-COLLEGE	17 MIN	This program introduces a diverse group of young people who share their experiences about their prescription drug abuse addictions and the consequences they have suffered. The participants abused various Rx drugs: pain relievers (OxyContin and Vicodin), depressants (Xanax and Valium) and stimulants (Concerta and Adderall). The stories of their descent into addiction and destructive life choices powerfully make the point that experimenting with pharmaceuticals "recreationally" without a doctor's supervision is a prescription for danger. Information and recent statistics on many commonly-abused Rx drugs are provided in addition to these personal narratives. Viewers will be gripped by the video's strong no-use message, delivered by real teens who admit that they did not realize how powerful these drugs were until it was too late.